

# This is Rotary



2006-2007

# Rotary is an International Organization

There are 529 districts in over 160 countries throughout the world. Membership is over 1.2 million.

The **Rotary Club of Lloydminster** is in District 5370 which is comprised of **62** clubs with over 2600 members.

District 5370 covers Northern Alberta, Ft. St. John, BC and North Battleford, Sask.



Rotary International is governed by a President and a Board of Directors elected from amongst Rotarians from all over the world



Bill Boyd  
2006-2007  
International President



Annually each District elects a District Governor

Ed Wilson  
2006-2007  
District Governor



# In the beginning...



- ◆ The first Rotary club was organized in Chicago in 1905, by Paul P. Harris.
- ◆ The club, with four members, met in rotation at the offices of the members - thus the name Rotary.



# Service Above Self

- ◆ Rotary was not long to recognize that fellowship alone would not keep a group together — there needed to be a purpose.
- ◆ The first service project was public restrooms in downtown Chicago, IL, USA.
- ◆ Rotary became the world's first service club.



# Object of Rotary

First.

- ◆ The development of acquaintance as an opportunity for service;



# Object of Rotary

Second.

- ◆ High ethical standards in business and professions; the recognition of the worthiness of all useful occupations; and the dignifying by each Rotarian of his or her occupation as an opportunity to serve society;



# Object of Rotary

Third.

- ◆ The application of the ideal of service by every Rotarian to his or her personal, business and community life;





# Object of Rotary

Fourth.

- ◆ The advancement of international understanding, good will, and peace through a world of fellowship of business and professional people united in the ideal of service.



# The Rotary Club of Lloydminster



# The Rotary Club of Lloydminster History

- ◆ Chartered Feb 13, 1929 – 20 members by the North Battleford club.
- ◆ Membership 2006 - 91 members
- ◆ Chartered clubs in Vermilion, Wainwright, Vegreville and Lloydminster Border City
- ◆ 4th largest club in District 5370
- ◆ Recognized as a well organized club with strong roots.



# The Rotary Club of Lloydminster Projects

Our club believes in projects that include:

– Recognition:

- ◆ Annual Business Integrity Award
- ◆ Annual Rural Urban Meeting



# The Rotary Club of Lloydminster Projects

Our club believes in projects that include:

◆ Helping Hands

- Rotary Park
- Labour for Shingling Historical Buildings
- Employment Opportunities for Persons with Disabilities
- Salvation Army Christmas Kettles



# The Rotary Club of Lloydminster Projects

Our club believes in projects that include:

– Mentoring

- ◆ Student Adventures
- ◆ International Exchange
- ◆ Gathering and shipping textbooks for Africa



# The Rotary Club of Lloydminster Projects

Our club believes in projects that include:

– Financial Support

- ◆ Community Non Profit Organizations
- ◆ Individuals in Need
- ◆ Youth Counselor for Alcohol and Drug Abuse



# The Rotary Club of Lloydminster Projects

Major fundraisers are:

- Lobster Fest
- Dream Vacation Draw
- Charity Auction

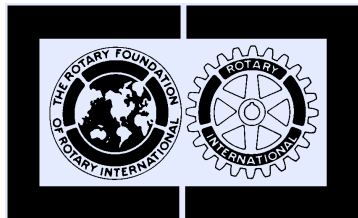




# The Rotary Foundation



**“World Peace through Understanding”**



# The Rotary Club of Lloydminster International Projects

With the assistance of **The Rotary Foundation**, and the Canadian and Alberta governments we have participated in international projects to assist our neighbours. Projects include:

- ◆ Schoolbus/Ambulances for Mexico
- ◆ Bali Blood Bank
- ◆ Orthopedic Surgery Teams to Guatemala
- ◆ Building Schools in Mexico
- ◆ Purchasing an Ambulance in India
- ◆ Farmer Training and Well Drilling in Honduras



# Paul Harris Fellows and Benefactors

- ◆ Many Lloydminster Rotarians and spouses are benefactors of the Permanent Fund.
- ◆ Lloydminster has 24 members and partners that are Paul Harris Fellows (\$1,000 or more donated) and 27 Paul Harris Sustaining Members (\$100 per year).



# Paul Harris Fellows and Benefactors

Methods of donating include:

- donating a small amount each week when paying for your meals
- monthly by preauthorised check, debit or credit card
- or annually.



# The Rotary Club of Lloydminster Exchanges

## Group Study Exchanges

- Teams of one Rotarian leader and four non-Rotarian business or professional young people visit our district to experience their profession in a new culture.
- Visits are up to six weeks.
- Lloydminster Rotarians have hosted visiting teams from Ukraine and England.



# The Rotary Club of Lloydminster Exchanges

## Rotary Youth Exchange Program

- 16-18 year olds are exchanged world-wide.
- 7,000 students participate worldwide.
- Our club hosts the student for one year.
- Rotarians host these young people in their homes for three to four months. Students become part of the family.
- In the past 12 years Lloydminster has hosted one student each year from countries that include Australia, Brazil, Germany, Japan, Switzerland and Poland.



# The Rotary Club of Lloydminster Exchanges

## **Rotary Youth Exchange Program**

We have sent one or two students each year from our area for a one year stay to another culture. Countries include Japan, Denmark, and Germany.

## **Short Term Exchange Program**

- Our club also matches youth with a student from another country. They travel to live in each other's homes for up to 4 weeks. Youth from Lloydminster and area have traveled to Germany and Mexico



# Object of Rotary

The Object of Rotary is to encourage and foster the ideal of service as a basis of worthy enterprise.





We implement the  
Object of Rotary  
through the  
Four Avenues of Service



## Club Service

*Those things that a Rotarian does to help make the running of the local club successful.*

## Vocational Service

*The promoting of the “ideal of service” throughout the business and professional world.*

## Community Service

*Every Rotarian is urged to participate in activities that make the community a better place in which to live.*

## International Service

*Encourages and fosters the advancement of understanding and good will among people of the world*



# Club Officers and Directors

- ◆ The Club is managed in behalf of members by elected Officers and Directors elected for one year terms that start on July 1<sup>st</sup> of each year
- ◆ Club Officers and Directors are the:
  - President
  - President-nominee (president the following year)
  - Secretary
  - Directors of Club Service I, II and III
  - Directors of Vocational and Community Service
  - Director of International Service



# 2006-2007 Officers and Directors

- ◆ President Bob Little
- ◆ President-nominee Glenys Coleman
- ◆ Past president Bob Christie
- ◆ Secretary Arne Baron
- ◆ Executive Administrator Pat Skinner



# 2006-2007 Officers and Directors

## ◆ Directors

- Club Service I
- Club Service II
- Club Service III
- Vocational Service
- Community Service
- International Service

Raf Sayeed

Marion Piper

Byrad Yyelland

Peter Parkinson

Gerald Gehlen

Darren King



# Club Service I Raf Sayeed – Director

*Those things that a Rotarian does to help make the running of the local club successful. Focuses on Membership.*

Committees include:

- Membership Classification, New Member Services and Rotary School
- Firesides and Assemblines
- Club History
- Membership Development
- Bulletins and Website
- Nominations.



## Club Service II     Marion Piper – Director

*Those things that a Rotarian does to help make the running of the local club successful. Plans for effective meetings*

Committees include:

- Programs
- Publicity
- Club Extension and Inter club relations
- Sergeant at Arms



## Club Service III Byrad Yyelland - Director

*Those things that a Rotarian does to help make the running of the local club successful. Encourages and supports the members of our club.*

Committees include:

- Birthdays and Anniversaries
- Family of Rotary
- Welcome and Fellowship





## Vocational Service

Peter Parkinson - Director

*The promoting of the “ideal of service” throughout the business and professional world.*

Committees include:

- Employer/Employee Relations / Competitor Relations
- Rural-Urban Meeting
- Special Sports Committee/Relay for Life
- Student Programs
- Rotary Employment Partnership.



# Community Service

Gerald Gehlen - Director

*Every Rotarian is urged to participate in activities that make the community a better place in which to live.*

Committees include:

- New fundraising project
- Dream Vacation
- Community needs/Fundraising
- Lobsterfest
- Centennial Project



# International Service

Darren King - Director

*Encourages and fosters the advancement of understanding and good will among people of the world*

Committees include:

- Rotary Foundation
- International Exchange
- Tiptoe with the Caribou
- World Community Service



# THE FOUR-WAY TEST

Of the things we think, say or do:

1. Is it the TRUTH?
2. Is it FAIR to all concerned?
3. Will it build GOOD WILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?
4. Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?



# The Privileges of Rotary

The privilege of FRIENDSHIP WITH LEADERS:

- in your community
- in neighboring towns and villages
- throughout Canada
- around the World



# The Privileges of Rotary

- ◆ The privilege of GIVING SERVICE to your community.
- ◆ The privilege of DEVELOPING INTERNATIONAL GOODWILL and understanding.
- ◆ The privilege of helping BUILD HIGHER ETHICAL STANDARDS within your vocation

*through the common bond of Rotary.*



# Your Obligations in Rotary

## ***Participation***

To be a Rotarian you must give of your time and talents:  
in community work  
in fellowship and social functions  
in club and district activities.



# Your Obligations in Rotary

## ***Attendance***

- Attendance at weekly meetings is a benefit of Rotary. A minimum of 60% is expected.
- You can easily maintain your attendance levels by attending another Rotary club meeting (including an online club), participating in club service projects, and activities.





# Your Obligations in Rotary

## ***Attendance***

There is a directory available on the Rotary International web site.

Visit a club while on vacation or during a business trip.

You will immediately be introduced to a room full of friends who want to make your visit to the area enjoyable.

Our members have visited clubs all around the world (check out our banners hanging up during the meeting).



# Your Financial Obligation

Annual Dues	\$ 210 /year
Meals	\$ 12 /week
Club Auction	\$ 1 /week
Social Events	\$ 200 /year
Rotary Foundation	\$ 100 /year
And of course Sergeant at Arms “fines”	
Rotary will cost approximately \$1,100 per year	



Welcome to the

# Rotary Club of Lloydminster

