

Rotary Club Of Cranbrook Sunrise

(Chartered 1997)

District 5080

Members Handbook and Orientation Guide

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John A. Rasmussen, District Governor of District 5030 in 1995-1996 prepared this orientation guide. It was prepared for use by all clubs in Rotary District 5030, revised in July 1995 and revised again by Jim Chiu, District Governor of District 5080 in 2000-2001, in December 2000 for use in the Cranbrook Rotary Club. Colin Campbell revised it in 2001 for the Cranbrook Sunrise Rotary Club and other club members have updated it since then.

WELCOME TO ROTARY

The day you join the Cranbrook Sunrise Rotary Club, it becomes a new club because your personality, ideas, and participation give our club a new character and a new collective personality. Our Rotary club is composed of distinct individuals who, when they come together as Rotarians, create something new and special. When we gain a new member, we are immediately aware of a significant new addition that will impact our club.

Each member has a great opportunity to bring new ideas and enthusiasm to our Rotary club. **Your** membership will further strengthen our Rotary club, and we eagerly anticipate your active participation.

This guide is intended to help orient you to the club activities and describe many facets of Rotary.

WHAT IS ROTARY?

Rotary is an organization of business and professional men and women united worldwide to conduct humanitarian service, encourage high ethical standards in all vocations, and help build goodwill and peace in the world.

Rotary began in Chicago in 1905 by a man named Paul Harris and three of his friends, Gus Loehr, Silvester Schiele, and Hiram Shorey. The international headquarters is in Evanston, Illinois. There are about 1,230,000 members belonging to over 34,000 clubs forming 540 districts in over 200 countries and territories.

The Cranbrook Sunrise Rotary Club was chartered in March of 1997, exactly 75 years after the sponsoring club, the Cranbrook Club was chartered. The organizing committee consisted of Jim Chiu, Colin Campbell, and Hardy Nielsen. Hardy Nielsen was the Charter President.

BRIEF HISTORY

In June of 1996, 32 Cranbrook Rotarians and spouses attended the Rotary International Convention in Calgary Alberta. During one of the sessions George Watson the President that year and Jim Cupidio, Secretary suggested to Colin Campbell and Jim Chiu that it would be a great idea to have a new club chartered in the same year as the Cranbrook Club's 75th Anniversary. We agreed and the committee was struck. Hardy joined our effort and in late August we began meeting regularly at the Town and Country as a provisional club. By the end of the year we had the required 20 members and were able to apply for our charter.

It was touch and go with **RI** (Rotary International) but as luck would have it the charter was issued in March, not exactly the same day but the same month seventy five years after the Cranbrook Club's charter was issued. We all celebrated at the Cranbrook Clubs birthday party and at our Charter night, held at the International Hotel at Fort Steele later in the year.

Our membership fell, almost immediately to 14 and it took several years to get back to 20 but we managed and now (April 2016) the club is doing well with a healthy 40+ membership and are very active in the community.

From the very beginning the club has been an active club. We are proud of our book project which shipped used school books, gathered from local schools and the college, to a Rotary club in South Africa who committed to constructing several schools in black townships on the strength of the books we supplied. Shipments of close to 60 tonnes of books have been shipped. We have also gathered and shipped excess medical equipment and supplies to a number of locations overseas. Recently, the club has been an active supporter (members and as a club) of the Market Children project – helping children in Tegucigalpa, Honduras to attend school.

The club has been an active supporter of Youth Exchange, and RYLA and annually provides four \$1,500 scholarships to university students who are entering third, fourth or fifth year. We are particularly proud of one for someone studying performing arts, in memory of Sharon Gibbon, screen writer and daughter of a charter member.

Other projects include the Van Horne Park in partnership with the Chamber, the Champions on Ice, Ice show in the spring of 2001 and our annual **Rockies Film Festival**, showcasing Canadian and international Films, started in 1998. We have assisted the Friends of the Library with their book sale. The club's Rotary Centennial project was the fundraising and construction of the Field House at Moir Park. It stands as a great legacy to the energy and dedication of our club members and the community at large. This year, the club completed a 'refurbishing' of the exterior of the ALCO 4090 diesel engines beside the ELKO station, as their community project.

We, for many years, rented space from BC Hydro in the old Hydro sub-station at Mayook where we stored and sorted textbooks and medical equipment prior to shipment overseas.

OBJECT OF ROTARY

The object of Rotary is to encourage and foster the ideal of service as a basis of worthy enterprise and, in particular, to encourage and foster:

First: The development of acquaintance as an opportunity for service;

Second: High ethical standards in business and professions, the worthiness of all useful occupations, and the dignifying of each Rotarian's occupation as an opportunity to serve society;

Third: The application of the ideal of service in each Rotarian's personal, business, and community life; and

Fourth: The advancement of international understanding, goodwill, and peace through a world fellowship of business and professional persons united in the ideal of service.

HOW YOU WERE SELECTED

Membership in Rotary is **by invitation only**. Our members are chosen from the business, professional or community leaders in our City. One of our members proposed you for membership because you are considered an outstanding representative of your vocation/profession in our community. Your proposed membership was reviewed by the Membership Committee, which considered you for your potential to become an active and contributing member. The Classification Committee determined that your occupational "classification" was "available", that is, not currently fully held by other members. The Board of Directors then officially approved your proposed membership. Expressing the wish to join, all club members would be informed, by special notice, of your interest in joining our club.

Rotary cannot be likened to a country club or fraternal lodge. There are responsibilities and opportunities far beyond those of simply "belonging" and occasionally attending luncheons with a congenial group of individuals. You will find your horizons broadened as you make new friends who are active in a wide variety of occupations, professions and community service in our club's area.

TYPES OF MEMBERSHIP

There are **two** types of membership in Rotary:

1. Active
2. Honorary

An **active member** is one who is currently or has been personally and actively engaged in the business, profession or community service in which he or she is classified in the club. Active membership is limited to just five persons (or 10% in clubs of 50 or more)

from each classification of business or profession except in three unlimited areas: media, religion, and diplomatic service.

An **honorary member** is a person who has been elected to such membership due to distinguished service in the furtherance of Rotary ideals. They cannot hold office in the club or vote.

CLASSIFICATIONS

An active member holds a classification which is the word or phrase that describes the principal and recognized activity of the firm, company, or institution with which he or she is connected, or that describes his or her principal and recognized business or professional activity. At one time the individual had to hold *discretionary authority* in their job. This was extremely limiting for women. Now the words often used are *position of importance* which provides for a much broader basis for recruitment.

Up to four more members (five in total or 10% in clubs over 50 members) can hold the exact same classification as yours.

Your classification is not given to you; instead it is considered on loan to you, for as long as you are an active member of the club. Represent it well.

Should your business change, your classification will also change.

The purpose of the classification system is to create a membership that is diverse and representative of the community from which the membership is drawn.

SERVICE IN ROTARY

The motto of Rotary is "**Service Above Self.**" Service is what Rotary is all about. That is why the word service is first in our motto. The phrase "above self" means exactly that: Rotarians put service ahead of their own interests. It means we serve even when it is inconvenient or costly.

Although some outsiders may believe Rotary is a club *for* business, in fact it is a club made up *of* businessmen and businesswomen and community leaders who strive to find effective ways to provide service in the **five avenues of service**. As a Rotarian, you will enjoy the company of others in your own community and the pleasure of working with them for the good of your community and of the world.

FIVE AVENUES OF SERVICE

All activities of a Rotary club fall within the basic Rotary service structure known as the "Five Avenues of Service."

1. **Club Service**
2. **Vocational Service**
3. **Community Service**
4. **International Service**
5. **Youth Service**

(If you remember the Object of Rotary, you will note these avenues are an operational organization of the Object. Youth Service - only recently added, is not directly represented in these Objects.)

Each avenue has an overall committee. Most of these committees have subcommittees that focus on specific areas of that avenue. These avenues are explained in detail in the *Rotary Basic Library*.

You will have the opportunity and be expected to serve on one or more of these committees. You need not wait to be asked -- you may volunteer at any time. If you are shy, don't worry: we will assign you somewhere. Every member of the club serves on at least one committee. Currently, the club asks that new members serve on the Angel Tree Committee for at least one term.

CLUB ORGANIZATION

Every club is chartered by **Rotary International**, which is the umbrella organization for Rotary. RI requires that every club adopt a "standard constitution" which ensures that each club is similarly structured. Each club then adopts its own distinctive by-laws for its operations, making sure that none are in conflict with the RI Bylaws.

A Board of Directors governs our club. The officers of the club, who are also directors, are president, president-elect, (also vice president in some clubs), secretary, and treasurer. The officers and directors are elected in accordance with our club by-laws. Everywhere in Rotary, officers change on July 1st.

Club elections, for the officers and Directors for the coming Rotary Year, are normally held before the end of December each year. The reason for early election is to allow for preparation time for the new President and his/her executive. The President is elected normally having already served for a year first as President-Elect, then as President on the July 1st following his or her year of service as president-elect. The organizational plan may vary slightly from club to club, but the overall structure is the same.

Meetings of the Board of Directors are currently held each month at a meeting place and time designated by the Board. All directors should attend, and any other members are welcome as well. Attending a Board Meeting is considered as a 'make-up'

meeting. Since the bulk of the club business is done at the Board meetings, it is a great opportunity to learn about your club, and what it is doing in depth.

The club meets weekly at the Heritage Inn, Cranbrook, B.C., Tuesday at 7:00 AM. We currently have the ability to hold our meetings in hybrid mode.

DISTRICT ORGANIZATION

All Rotary clubs are grouped into "districts" which are composed of forty to sixty clubs each. There are 540 districts worldwide.

Our club is a member of District 5080 comprised of almost 60 clubs in Eastern Washington, Northern Idaho and Southeastern British Columbia, Canada. Our district is truly an international district.

The district is a support organization, designed to help clubs - their members, committees, officers, and directors. The district is headed by a "District Governor" who is a member of a club in the district. He or she is elected because he or she is an outstanding Rotarian with many years of successful leadership. The District Governor is an Officer of Rotary International, and as such, provides the link between Rotary International and the individual clubs.

The district governor usually visits every club in the district at least once, normally during the first part of the Rotary year.

INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATION

Rotary International (RI) is the international organization to which all clubs belong. Individuals belong to their clubs, not to RI.

RI is governed by a Board of Directors and headed by the International President. These leaders are nominated by an RI Nominating Committee and elected at the annual International Convention.

RI organizes zones and districts; charters clubs; stages the International Convention and International Assembly, and provides administrative and support activities for the clubs.

RI headquarters at **One Rotary Center**
1560 Sherman Avenue
Evanston, IL 60201 USA
Phone: 1-847-866-3000
Fax: 1-847-328-8554

ASSEMBLIES, CONFERENCES AND CONVENTIONS

The district sponsors a **District Leadership Training Assembly** (D.L.T.A.) each spring. Its purpose differs from that of the conference in that the purpose of the D.L.T.A. is to provide practical, how-to information on various Rotary subjects. In particular, it is to provide training for the key incoming club officers. The program lasts from four to six hours, includes a luncheon and costs a modest amount. Many clubs pay for or at least subsidize that cost. All members who wish to improve their knowledge of Rotary should attend. The district also holds a **Membership and Foundation Seminar** in the Fall. These may be two seminars held simultaneously with the purpose of providing in-depth information and training on those two topics. Again, the cost is minimal and normally includes lunch.

One of the duties of the District Governor is to organize the **District Conference**. The conference is usually a two/three-day event held in late spring or early summer, and often convened in the district governor's hometown. Its purpose is information, inspiration, and fellowship. All members of the district are urged to attend and to bring their spouse/partner.

Rotary International annually holds the **International Convention** for Rotarians from all over the world. Recent locations include Sao Paulo Brazil, Singapore, Buenos Aires, Argentina, San Antonio, Texas, Barcelona Spain, Brisbane, Montreal, New Orleans and Osaka. Attendance at these conventions leaves every Rotarian with the certain knowledge that the internationality of Rotary is real. Every Rotarian should attend at least one International Convention in his or her Rotary career.

ATTENDANCE

Rotary does not want "knife and fork" members or what we call "RINOs" (Rotarians in name only). We want you to become engaged and participate. When you participate, our club is more effective. When you do not participate, our club is weakened.

One of the measures of participation is attendance at regular club meetings. Without regular attendance, you do not learn about your club activities, you do not know about club activities, and you do not come to know your fellow club members. You are important to Rotary or we would not have elected you to membership. How important Rotary is to you will be seen by your attendance record.

Make your Rotary attendance a good habit. Although it is sometimes difficult to get away from a busy workplace, try to make Rotary an essential part of your weekly plan.

Rotary considers attendance an essential part of being a member. The standard club constitution states that a member should attend **at least 60%** of the meetings in each six-month period of the Rotary year, of which half must be at your home club. The constitution also provides for a member to be terminated if he or she misses four consecutive meetings. Committee meetings and project work equate to regular meetings.

If a member were not interested in attending regularly, and if the club is in need of other members from that classification, it would be fairer for him or her to release his or her classification and allow some other representative of his or her vocation to be part of the club, for attendance purposes.

MAKE-UPS

Occasionally, business, travel, and illness will prevent your attendance at our club. You have the privilege to make up that absence by attending a meeting of another Rotary club, the Board of Directors meeting of our club, a club committee meeting or participating in an official Rotary project (e.g. Fundraising or community project, or a District event). Any make-up, to be valid for attendance credit, *must be accomplished any time after the second meeting previous to the one you missed and prior to the second meeting next after the meeting you missed...* put another way, thirteen days before or after the miss. It is your responsibility to ensure that our club secretary is informed about your make-ups – what and when they were and by requesting a make-up slip from the club you were visiting.

Make-ups are one of the fun privileges in Rotary. You are warmly welcomed by a group that knows nothing about you except you are a Rotarian like them. The friendship they extend to you will explain, again, what we mean by fellowship.

Make-ups can be done in local clubs, and in clubs around the world. Foreign country make-ups are a highlight of a Rotarian's career. Your secretary can show you when and where every Rotary club in the world meets simply by consulting the RI Official Directory. You can personally access that directory on-line as well.

Make-ups can be earned in ways other than attending a meeting of another club. Attendance credit is also granted for attending the District Conference, the District Assemblies or Seminars, approved training sessions (like R.L.I.), the International Convention, and certain district meetings called by the district governor.

Another aspect of make-ups is how we treat Rotarians who visit our club for a make-up. The Golden Rule applies here. Be friendly, invite visitors to join your table, involve them in your conversations, and make them want to come and visit us again.

PARTICIPATION

The purpose of attendance requirements is to foster engagement of and participation by all members in the activities of the club. We know that no one can be completely involved in all activities, because there are so many. Rotary has been likened to a giant smorgasbord of service: you take a little of this, a little of that, and a whole lot of something else. Your participation goal in Rotary should be to serve heavily in at least one area and at least somewhat in others.

Four areas of participation are mandatory.

1. **Attend club meetings**, as discussed above.
2. **Serve on at least one committee.**

- 3. **Membership development.** We are a service club, and we need more members to help us continue to serve. Obtaining new members is everyone's job in Rotary.
- 4. **Fund raising.** Since the club needs money to operate, no matter what the project is, when we run fund-raisers, every member is expected to do his or her share.

ADMISSION FEES AND DUES

Like all clubs, we require an admission fee to be paid to cover some of the costs of your induction. This fee is paid only once.

Annual dues for District and R.I. assessment are billed semi-annually in July and January.

OTHER COSTS OF MEMBERSHIP

In addition to admission fees, dues, and meal costs, there are other costs of your membership. You will be expected to participate fully in fund-raising activities. Usually these are structured so that we obtain funding from sources outside the club, i.e., by soliciting or selling. Our discount golf Card is a great example of this.

Also, from time to time, we may ask your company to support our activities by donating some service or product.

Occasionally, there will be club social functions, which may require extra expenditure.

Finally, and more than anything else, we expect your time. That is probably your most precious possession. We promise to use it well.

COST SUMMARY

To recap, your costs are as follows:

Admission (one time)	\$50.00
Annual Costs (currently):	
Annual Dues (R.I., District and club annuals combined)	\$200.00
Meal Costs (including costs for YOUR guests)	\$12.50/Wk
Special Events	\$TBA
Minimum donation to the Rotary Foundation	\$Voluntary
Total Annual Costs	\$

All expenses are billed monthly, via a statement issued by the club treasurer. These monthly bills are to be paid within 30 days. A reminder will be sent to you after the first 30 days, and another will be issued after 60 days. After 90 days of outstanding credit, the board of directors can terminate your membership.

Optionally, you can request that the treasurer bill you US\$25 (per quarter) which is a voluntary contribution to the Rotary Foundation. This contribution is remitted to Rotary International in your name and is the amount necessary for you to become a Sustaining Member of The Rotary Foundation. When this amount totals US\$1,000 you will have earned recognition as a **Paul Harris Fellow**.

PIN AND BADGE

You should always wear your Rotary lapel pin. You will be surprised at the number of people who will greet you upon recognizing the pin.

At club, and at certain club functions, also wear your badge. Its purpose is to let everyone know who you are. Although your club members know you, visitors do not.

CLUB ROSTER

Our club maintains a membership roster on the club website. It is to be used only for club purposes. The use of the roster for any business purpose by any member or by any person who might gain a copy is strictly prohibited.

BUSINESS RELATIONSHIPS

Rotarians are banded together for the purpose of doing service. We are not banded together as a business network. Networking is not the same thing – in fact it is one of the initial reasons Rotary was founded. It is understood that Rotarians do business with each other, presumably because it is natural to do business with those you know and trust and who adhere to the business ethics espoused by Rotary. However, membership in Rotary does not presume that you will do business with other Rotarians or that they will do business with you.

In furtherance of this belief, it is inappropriate to initiate discussion with other members the sole purpose of which is to solicit business. It is appropriate to network for the purposes of business in any way in this or any club, but one must be careful to respect a club's cultural limitations on this practice.

COMMUNICATIONS

A portion of your dues also pays for your subscription to the official magazine of Rotary, **The Rotarian**. It reports the many activities of Rotary International and contains many good articles on timely subjects of general interest. Make sure the magazine is mailed to your home. You will more likely read it and your spouse/partner will also have an opportunity to read it. **The Rotarian** is available electronically if you so desire.

Our club publishes a bulletin – one that has won the **Top Bulletin Award**, for club size, many times. It contains information on club activities, news of new members, upcoming programs, various items of Rotary information, and special announcements. The bulletin editor is always pleased to receive items from you of interest to the general membership. Please contact the editor with ideas and suggestions. The club also maintains a website

and a Facebook page. Finally the District maintains an extensive website. Your mentor will provide assistance in accessing these resources.

BIOGRAPHY

Members' biographies are a frequent program at club meetings. As a new member, you will be asked to address the club for five to fifteen minutes to describe your classification and to tell us something of your personal background so we can get to know you.

PROGRAMS

The Program Committee strives to present a program each week on an interesting topic. We try to provide a wide variety of subjects so we can learn more about our community and what is going on in it. When, not if, you become aware of a good speaker on a topic of general interest, contact your program chairman so he or she may determine its appropriateness and schedule a time.

Speakers want to talk to you and they appreciate the fact you are an important representative of your business or profession. If you do not attend meetings, you are missed, and you miss the opportunity to learn more.

EARLY LEAVING

Members are expected to attend the entire meeting.

If for some reason you must leave early, by all means avoid walking out on the speaker. This is a discourtesy to the speaker and embarrasses the program committee, the President, the Club, and Rotary generally. If you must leave early, please do so unobtrusively and before the program committee introduces the speaker.

When you visit other clubs, never leave early. You are representing our club. If you leave early, you give our club a bad reputation.

THE FOUR WAY TEST

The second avenue of service, which represents the second object of Rotary, is Vocational Service. Its purpose is the application of the service ideal to business life and the instilling of high ethical standards in business.

The Four Way Test was developed by Herbert Taylor in 1932 as an operating tool in his company to inspire honesty and integrity. Rotary has adopted the Four Way Test as a hallmark of its vocational emphasis.

We suggest you memorize this test:

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 **GOODWILL** and **BETTER FRIENDSHIPS**?
4. Will it be **BENEFICIAL** to all concerned?

If we abide by this test in whatever we do in our personal lives and in our chosen vocations, we will be well on the way to leading productive lives that are sensitive to the needs and feelings of others. You are now prepared to be a member of an organization that is attempting every day to raise the standard of conduct between human beings. We are serious about this code and enlist your support in this endeavor.

THE ROTARY FOUNDATION (T.R.F.)

The Rotary Foundation operates like a corporate charity or philanthropic trust, recognized as such by the Internal Revenue Service in the U.S.A. and by the C.R.A. in Canada. It was established in 1917, and headquarters in Evanston, along with Rotary International. Its activities are worldwide.

The purpose of the Foundation is to further the fourth object of Rotary: to advance international understanding, goodwill, and peace.

Rotarians and Rotary clubs provide the bulk of the financial support for the Foundation.

The Foundation operates many programs, including university level scholarships and vocational team exchanges. It funds humanitarian projects through the **Six Areas of Focus** and the various **Grants programs**. The Foundation has, since 1985, taken the worldwide lead in eradicating polio by striving to inoculate every child in the world. In partnership with C.D.C., W.H.O. and U.N.I.C.E.F. the program **POLIO PLUS** has achieved 99% of this goal.

THE ROTARY FOUNDATION ANNUAL PROGRAMS FUND

Contributions to the Foundation are recognized on several levels. The various recognitions for individuals are:

1. **Sustaining Member.** An individual who makes an initial contribution of at least US\$100, and intends to make contributions of at least US\$100 at least annually until he or she becomes a Paul Harris Fellow, is recognized as a Paul Harris Sustaining Member. (No formal pledge is required.)

2. **Paul Harris Fellow.** An individual who contributes, or in whose name is contributed, the amount of US\$1,000, is recognized as a Paul Harris Fellow. The award was established in 1957.

3. **Multiple Paul Harris Fellow.** After donating US\$1,000 to the Foundation, most Rotarians continue to donate to the Foundation because of respect for the work it does. The Foundation recognizes their sharing by recognizing such persons with a Paul Harris Fellow pin which contains blue (sapphire) stones for up to US\$6,000 donated, red (ruby) stones for up to US\$9,000 and a white (diamond) for US\$10,000 and above. The stones are symbolic only – not real gemstones.

4. **Major Donor.** An individual donates, in their name, a minimum of \$10,000 (either cumulative or in a lump sum). Unlike the Paul Harris designations, this donation can not be made in another person's name.

Donations made to the ANNUAL PROGRAMS FUND portion of the Rotary Foundation are collected in one Rotary year, invested by The Rotary Foundation and expended three years later. This cycle is intended to provide time for planning the expenditures. It is well known that the return on contributions is greater than 100%, when matching activity is accounted for.

Every Rotarian is strongly encouraged to donate to the Rotary Foundation. To learn more and get started, see the club's Rotary Foundation chairperson. Contribution is voluntary but strongly encouraged. The club takes pride in striving to be an E.R.E.Y. club [**Every Rotarian Every Year**].

PAUL HARRIS FELLOWS OF OUR ROTARY CLUB

Currently there are **29** Paul Harris Fellows as members of the club, including at least **20** who are multiple Paul Harris Fellows. We have **2 Major Donors** and **1 Triple Crown Donor**.

PAUL HARRIS SOCIETY

A Rotarian who contributes US\$1,000 annually to the Annual Fund is considered a member of the Paul Harris Society. Currently we have **2** members who are such society members

POLIO PLUS SOCIETY

Any Rotarian who commits to contributing US\$100 to the Polio Plus Fund may request they be granted membership in this group, by simply contacting the District's Polio Plus committee Chair.

THE ROTARY FOUNDATION ENDOWMENT FUND

The Rotary Foundation established a permanent fund in 1982 (known as the Endowment for World Understanding, renamed "The Permanent Fund" in November 1994 and renamed The Endowment Fund in 2013). Unlike the Annual Programs Fund discussed above, funds contributed to the permanent fund are held in perpetuity and only the interest income is ever spent. In this manner, a gift continues to produce income forever; thus the gift continues to give forever.

Income from the permanent fund supports the general programs of the Rotary Foundation. As with other philanthropic Foundations, there are many levels and designations within the Permanent Fund.

Contributions to the Foundation's Permanent Fund are recognized through the Benefactor recognition program: An individual who contributes, or in whose name is

contributed, the amount of US\$1,000, or more, is recognized as a **Benefactor**. The gift may be made at any time, including through one's will. Thus, a person may become a Benefactor by designating the Rotary Foundation's Permanent Fund in one's will and notifying the Foundation of that provision. A person making a bequest of US\$10,000 or more is recognized as a member of the **Bequest Society**.

Contributions at the US\$250,000 level and greater are recognized as members of the **Arch C. Klumph Society** named in honor of the founder of The Rotary Foundation

BENEFACTORS OF OUR ROTARY CLUB

Currently there are **4** members of the club who are TRF Benefactors. Further there are 2 non-member benefactors of record, one of which is deceased.

BEQUEST SOCIETY MEMBERS OF OUR ROTARY CLUB

Currently there are 2 members of the club who are TRF Bequest Society Members.

PRESIDENTS OF OUR ROTARY CLUB

Hardy Nielsen (Charter President)	1996-98
Jim Montain	1998-99
Colin Campbell	1999-00
Warren Trimble.....	2000-01
Allan Davis (*)	2001-02
Bill Gibbon.....	2002-03
Liz Conner	2003-04
Gerry Dreger.....	2004-05
Darryl Bishop.....	2005-06
Dennis Parsons	2006-07
Glenn Aspen	2007-08
Dick Robinson	2008-09
Harley Lee.....	2009-10
Mike Burnham	2010-11
Frank vandenBroek.....	2011-12
Daryl Richardson	2012-13
Mark Pinnell.....	2013-14
Ursula Brigl.....	2014-15
Trent Taylor	2015-16
Riley Wilcox.....	2016-17
Dewayne Penner	2017-18
Janice Sommerfeld	2018-19
Lynnette Wray	2019-20
Al Dyck.....	2020-21
David Savage.....	2021-22

(*) – became District Governor 2008-2009