**INDUCTION OF A NEW MEMBER**

You have been chosen to membership in the Rotary Club of The Pas because your fellow members believe you to be a leader in your vocation and because you manifest those qualities of head and of heart which fit you to interpret and impart the message of Rotary to those with whom you come in contact.

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 recognition of the worthiness

of all useful occupations; and the dignifying by each Rotarian of his occupation as an opportunity to serve society;

**Third**: The application of the ideal of service by every Rotarian to his personal, business and community life.

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

We charge you to judge yourself by the Rotary Four-Way Test of the things you think, say or do:

**First** Is it the Truth?

**Second** Is it fair to all concerned?

**Third**  Will it build goodwill and better friendships?

**Fourth**  Will it be beneficial to all concerned?

The community will know and judge Rotary through your embodiment of it in character and service, and we accept you as a member because we believe our principles and organization to be safe in your keeping.

We also expect much from you in help and inspiration, which will enable us to be better Rotarians, and with this hope we most heartily offer you Rotary fellowship.

Fellow Rotarians, it is the duty of our Rotary club to add new members from time to time, so that we may not only increase our usefulness and influence as a club, but also to extend the spirit of Rotary throughout the community.

We wish to impress upon you that you have been admitted not only to the Rotary Club of The Pas, but to a worldwide association; and by virtue of your membership in this club, you will be welcomed into the fellowship of any Rotary club in the world.

The honour and privilege of Rotary membership carries with it duties and obligations. You will be expected to attend the club's meetings regularly, to perform your share of club service, and to place your knowledge and talents at the disposal of the club in its task of carrying the principles of Rotary into the daily life of the community. If you are away and cannot attend our regular meeting; bear in mind that you will be welcomed at any Rotary meeting in the world

I ask all members to rise.

Rotarian \_\_\_\_\_, in the name of the Rotary Club of The Pas. I now formally admit you to membership in this club.

Always remember Rotary's motto: “Service Above Self.”

Rotary is like everything else - you get out of it what you put into it.

Congratulations, Rotarian \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, you are at this moment the newest Rotarian in the world.

Fellow Rotarians, I present to you Rotarian \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and I charge you not to fail in your duty by giving him/her your friendship and helping to make his/her membership useful and happy.