



# Our Mission

Rotary Club of Spokane 21, in collaboration with Rotary International, champions health, education and peace through fellowship and service using our resources to make our community and world a better place.



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# Introduction

Since 1911, Rotary Club 21 has made an indelible mark on the City of Spokane. Of the 35,000 clubs scattered throughout 200 countries, Rotary Spokane has the distinction of being the 21st Rotary Club ever established. We are a diverse and non-partisan group of civic and business leaders joining together in service to our community and the world. Annually, we raise over \$120,000 along with income of \$82,500 from our Club's permanent endowment fund giving our Rotary Community Service Committees funding to provide grants and scholarships to dozens of deserving charitable organizations and individuals.

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"We possess one common objective, which is to make a larger impact to those in our world and community that need a hand up. Rotarians do this best when we collectively come together and give our time, talent, and our treasure. Rotary has been the catalyst for ensuring that each dollar is spent wisely."



Bridget Barrington



Becoming a Rotarian and a member of Rotary Club 21 requires a sponsoring member of Rotary Club 21 and a completed membership application. Our membership meets every Thursday from noon to 1:15 pm in the Spokane Club Georgian Room.

We present engaging programs on a wide range of topics and issues presented by leaders in their respective fields. Many of our members feel this is the most valuable hour in their entire work week. Invited guests are encouraged to attend any of our meetings. If you would like to attend as a guest please contact the Rotary Office.

"The happiest half of Americans are those that give away time and money. That's the kind I got to know in Club 21"



John Hancock

## Charitable Committees

Many of our members are active in our Rotary Community Service Committees. Here are just a few:

-  Partners for Work
-  International Services
-  Vaccinations
-  Disability Service
-  Civic Affairs
-  Foster KidFest
-  Youth Services
-  Vocational Services
-  Support Our Veterans Committee



Rotarians live by the motto "Service Above Self" and we subscribe and believe in the Rotary Four-Way Test. This test is a nonpartisan and nonsectarian ethical guide for Rotarians to use in their personal and professional lives impacting the things we think, say and 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?

"While I joined Rotary to be part of a strong group of business leaders in Spokane that support our community, what I found was greater than I ever imagined. Whether it's been the opportunity to impact the lives of foster children by connecting them with forever families or to help individuals with disabilities find permanent employment, my Rotary connection has allowed me to make a difference far beyond what I thought possible."



Julie Kelsey

