



Hanover, NH Rotary Membership Proposal Process

District 7850
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Meets every other Wednesday 12 Noon

1. Welcome! We're happy that you're interested in joining. All new candidates for membership must have a Rotary Member Sponsor. To get a sponsor, just come to a meeting and ask one of us, or contact Membership Chair, Bob Haynes (603) 448-8494 or rhinc@gmail.com.
2. With Rotary Member Sponsor, the prospective member must attend two Hanover Rotary luncheons or participate in two Hanover Rotary service events.
3. After the two luncheon visits or participation in two service events, the prospective Rotary member should complete the Membership Proposal Form. The Rotary Member Sponsor will submit this form to Membership Committee Chair, Bob Haynes rhinc@gmail.com.
4. Within 5 days, the Membership Committee Chair will send the Committee's recommendation to the President and Secretary, who within 5 days will forward (*via e-mail*) the proposal to the Board for approval/disapproval. Board Members may vote by e-mail.
5. Upon Board approval, the Secretary will email the Membership Proposal (*attaching a PDF of the Membership Proposal Form and any additional information*) to the general membership. This announcement includes a provision that active Members may submit any objections to the proposed member to the Secretary, in writing, within 5 days of receipt of the announcement. The Secretary will report any objections to the Board for consideration. The final decision for approval or disapproval of the proposed Member is vested in the Board.
6. Ideally, the membership approval/disapproval process should not exceed 30 calendar days.
7. If there are no objections from active Members, the Secretary will notify the Sponsor and the President of the proposed member's approval. The President will arrange a Fireside Chat with the proposed Member and Sponsor as soon as possible.
8. At the earliest opportunity following the Fireside Chat, the New Member Induction will take place at a regular Club luncheon meeting.
9. The Board of Directors shall have the absolute and final approval/disapproval authority over all proposals and any objections to such proposals.
10. Transfers will submit to the Secretary an application form and a letter or e-mail from the previous club indicating that they are active members in that club. The Secretary will forward the information to the Board President to schedule a Fireside chat, after which the transferee will be formally introduced at a regular Club luncheon meeting.



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To be filled out by prospective member / *please complete all sections*

Full name _____ **Name of spouse/partner** _____

First name (for your name badge) _____ **Birthday** (month, date, year) _____

Mailing address Please circle one: home or work

Telephone Home telephone _____ Work telephone _____
Cell/other telephone _____

Email address _____

Occupation/Employer _____

Please describe the prospective member's background and interests, including any activities that would enhance consideration as a Rotarian (*and/or attach an additional page*).

Dates of two luncheon visits or service events: _____

If rejoining or a former Rotarian, most recent club: _____

Member from (date): _____ to (date): _____

If an RI participant or Foundation alumnus/a,

Program(s) and date(s): _____

Sponsor's signature: _____ **Date:** _____

Sponsor's printed name: _____

(Rotary Member Sponsor) **Return this form to Membership Chair, Carter Auch:** carter.auch@verani.com

===== To be completed by Membership Chair and Club Secretary =====

Approved by Membership Committee (date)	_____
Sent application to Secretary & President (date)	_____
Approved by full board (date)	_____
Ordered badge (date)	_____
Inducted into Club (date)	_____
Entered information into ClubRunner (date)	_____