

# **MEMBERSHIP PROPOSAL INFORMATION**

## **Anchorage South Rotary 2009**

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1. Qualified candidates for Rotary membership are adults of good character, good business and professional reputation.
2. An active member of a Rotary club is classified according to the member's business or profession and describes that activity.
3. As an active member in our club, you may wish to bring a guest to a club meeting. A guest should never be referred to as a potential member. After attending a meeting, they may wish to know more about Rotary. If an interest is shown and you believe this person would meet the qualifications for membership, you can fill out a membership proposal form.
4. The form (Part A) should be given to either the membership chairperson/director or to the club secretary. Don't inform a prospective member of the proposal until after Board approval.
5. The Board will look at the proposal at their next scheduled meeting.
6. The membership chairperson/director will inform the sponsor of the Board's actions.
7. The membership chairperson/director will have an informal meeting with the proposed member and their sponsor.
8. If the proposed member wishes the application to go forward it will be published in the ASR SCOOP twice.
9. If there are any objections by a current ASR member they should be submitted to the Board in writing, through the membership chairperson/director.
10. The Board will discuss the objection/s at their next scheduled meeting
11. If there are no objections then an induction is scheduled and the person becomes a member of the club. A Rotary pin is given at this time and their membership dues are to be paid.
12. The new member will meet with the membership chairperson/director and receive additional information (the club roster, a To DO list for new Rotarians). The member's sponsor is invited to attend.