



ROTARY IS:

- A global network of community volunteers who connect to make a difference.
- An organization of business, professional, and concerned citizens of all ages.
- A local club which meets regularly to plan and implement community service activities, network, and to enjoy camaraderie.
- A worldwide organization of 1.2 million men and women in 200 countries in 33,000 Rotary clubs.

BECOME A MEMBER OF THE ROTARY CLUB OF FRAMINGHAM

- Rotarians contribute to our own community and to communities around the world.
- Join Rotary for many reasons, including community involvement, personal development and professional networking.
- The most important benefit is the satisfaction gained from making a real difference in the world.



ROTARY CLUB OF FRAMINGHAM SUPPORTS:

Scholarships and Youth Programs

- Annual High School Scholarships - \$45,000 to ten seniors.
- Rotary Youth Leadership Training
- High School Financial Education program
- Exchange students from and to foreign countries
- Special Olympics fund raising
- Holiday lunch, magic show and gifts for Head Start children
- Assist Habitat for Humanity to build playhouses for children of veterans

Fundraisers

- Craft Fair in April
- Carnival in May and July
- Annual Rotary Auction in December
- Pancake breakfast in November



Community Service

- Stop Hunger Now and End Hunger New England meal packaging events
- Quality of life improvement project for elderly by installing A/C's
- Serving clients at the Pearl St Café
- Thanksgiving Day turkey pull at the Eagle's Club
- Concerts on the Green and Metrofest events
- Annual luncheon to honor employers of persons with disabilities
- Grants to community organizations such as: YMCA, Knox Boy Scouts, Callahan Senior Center, A Place To Turn, Amazing Things Art Center, Access Framingham TV, Mazie Mentoring, Boys and Girls Club, Framingham Police, Family Promise, St. Bridget's Food Pantry, Framingham Housing Authority, Bethany Hill School



International Service Projects

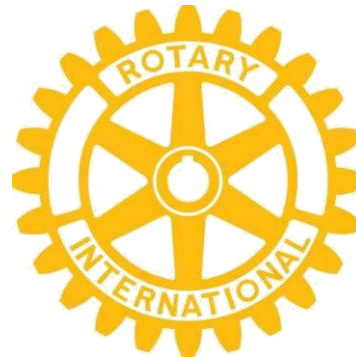
- Annual trip to Central or South American country to renovate or build orphanages, eye clinics, playgrounds or schools
- Gift of Life to save the life of a Third World child needing critical heart surgery
- Computer education project in Zambia
- Supported Operation Footprint to correct foot deformities in Guatemalan children

THE ROTARY MOTTO “SERVICE ABOVE SELF”

- The Rotary Club of Framingham was founded in 1922. We serve the communities of Framingham, Holliston, Ashland and Hopkinton.
- We meet Monday’s at Ken’s Steakhouse on Route 9 in Framingham.
- Our meetings feature a variety of speakers with a broad range of interesting topics including local history, community needs, personal development and education.
- We are an organization of like-minded people with business and professional skills and networks of contacts worldwide.
- We encourage our members to mentor young people, to get involved and to do charitable work.
- We support several local charitable organizations, the elderly, the needy, veterans, youth development and scholarships and many international projects.
- You are invited to attend a meeting. Be inspired. Learn more. Share your ideas. Join us as a guest.



PolioPlus, Rotary’s most ambitious program to date, focuses on global immunization efforts and has played a leadership role with the World Health Organization, CDC, and UNICEF in bringing the world to the brink of polio eradication. The Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation has contributed US\$355 million in matching funds to Rotary to support PolioPlus activities



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