

KANSAS CITY PLAZA ROTARY CLUB ASSEMBLY SURVEY

In order to better serve the needs and interests of the club and to help focus club resources, please respond to this survey about existing projects and practices. The information you provide is confidential. Results will be available to all club members to review after findings have been tabulated

Sergeant-At-Arms – fundraising and camaraderie building; fines, happy bucks, change for charity fund and 3 minute speakers fund community and international service outside of the club operating budget.	Continue in moderation	Discontinue
Fines- small “fines” are assessed to club members for minor infractions of Rotary “rules” or for fun at the discretion of the SAA or President.		
Happy Bucks – club members donate funds for the privilege of announcing good news about their personal or business lives.		
Change for Charity – the captain’s hat is passed around for members to contribute \$1 (or more).		
3 Minute Speaker – The purpose of the 3-minute speaker is to build camaraderie among club members and raise funds (\$10/speaker). Club members speak on a topic of their choosing work, hobbies, family or Rotary experiences.		
Centurions – at the beginning of each Rotary year, individuals voluntarily donate \$100 to exempt themselves from fines, but not from teasing that goes along with fines. The funds are earmarked for the club’s contribution to Polio Plus.		

Birthdays, Spouse Birthdays and Anniversaries	Continue the first of the month announcement	Resume a weekly announcement	Discontinue announcements
We recently adopted a policy of announcing birthdays and other milestones at the first meeting of the month.			

Meeting Location	Continue at Grand St. Café	Find a new location
Grand Street Café has been our meeting home since 2015 and we are contractually committed through June of 2019.		
If you responded with “find a new location”, please list your objective in finding a different meeting location:		

Major Beneficiaries - every 3 years, club members vote to identify two organizations that will receive club support from fundraisers and district grants. One perspective on this practice is to have a larger impact on an organization through sustained contributions. Another perspective is to change beneficiaries more frequently to have greater diversity in the organizations we support. (Urban Rangers and Hope House were renewed for their second three-year period in 2016-17).	Continue the present practice	Identify beneficiaries on an annual basis	Determine a new process
For the future, do we:			

Games For Good - our signature fundraiser and community visibility effort since 2014-15. We are committed to G4G in the fall of 2019	Continue the event beyond 2019	Continue and reevaluate after 2019	Discontinue after another fundraising event is identified
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Community Service Committee, Paul Temme- Chair	Continue	Discontinue
Bloch Cancer Park Cleanup- volunteers, plant flowers, pick up trash and do general cleanup at this event, held twice a year.		
Bridge Home Holiday Meals - this long-term annual project provides a weekend meal during December at the Bridge Home, a group home for at-risk girls.		

International Service Committee, Jane Brown- Chair			
Group Study Exchange- this program exchanges teams of five individuals who go to the host country to learn about humanitarian service project development and vocational training. Club involvement includes sending team participants and hosting the international team, providing home hosting, meals and humanitarian service, vocational training and entertainment.	Continue to support	Vote annually on club participation	Discontinue
ShelterBox- is an international relief organization started by Rotary and now operating as a separate 501(c)3. The organization provides emergency shelter and tools for families displaced by natural disaster. Our club has contributed to the purchase of supplies after several disasters in Ecuador, Haiti and elsewhere.	Continue to support	Contribute more consistently	Discontinue
Malawi Children's Village- MCV has been a signature international service project for our club for many years. In that time we have provided malaria nets, latrines, educational support materials and seed money to launch income-generating programs	Continue to support	Contribute more consistently	Discontinue
Shoes For Orphan Souls- Since 2001 our club has participated in the district's international service project Shoes for Orphan Souls. New shoes, socks and laces and are contributed to Buckner International who use the shoes as a foundation to engage families and individuals in Family Hope Centers that provide critical services, aid and coaching to keep them strong and decrease the likelihood of abuse, neglect and removal of children.	Continue to support	Contribute more consistently	Discontinue

Youth Services Committee, Rich Linden- Chair				
<p>Rotaract- we sponsor two Rotaract groups, our community-based group and the UMKC/Enactus. A third Rotaract group is planned at Rockhurst. We assist with the charter, mentor through our Youth Services Chair and occasionally provide financial support for their projects.</p>	<p>Continue to support as we have</p>	<p>Provide additional financial support</p>	<p>Provide additional hands-on support</p>	<p>Provide additional financial and hands-on support</p>
<p>Interact- Interact is a high school-level introduction to Rotary. Our Youth Services Chair is currently trying to resurrect the interact clubs we have sponsored.</p>	<p>Provide additional financial support</p>	<p>Provide additional hands-on support</p>	<p>Provide additional financial and hands-on support</p>	<p>Table Interact until in-school resources can be identified</p>
<p>RYLA – Rotary Youth Leadership Award –The Missouri RYLA Academy is a 4-day, 3-night training program for high school sophomores and juniors. The academy identifies and enhances the qualities of Servant Leadership, trains students to successfully implement a service project, and inspire them to live a lifetime of "Service Above Self."</p>	<p>Continue to support</p>	<p>Provide additional financial support</p>	<p>Provide additional hands-on support</p>	<p>Provide additional financial and hands-on support</p>
<p>Rotary Youth Exchange – Youth Exchange long-term (10 month) and short-term (2-4 weeks) exchanges for high school youth. We aren't currently participating.</p>	<p>Provide additional financial support</p>	<p>Provide additional hands-on support</p>	<p>Provide additional financial and hands-on support</p>	<p>Table Youth Exchange until additional resources can be identified in our club</p>

PLEASE SEPARATE THIS SHEET FROM THE OTHERS BEFORE SUBMITTING

Please use this sheet for suggestions on what projects and programs you would like to see our club start. This portion of the survey you will be asked to provide your name. Identification is optional. (Use the back of this sheet if you need more room)

GENERAL MEETING AND ADMIN I'D LIKE TO SEE:

COMMUNITY SERVICE I'D LIKE TO SEE:

INTERNATIONAL SERVICE I'D LIKE TO SEE:

YOUTH SERVICE I'D LIKE TO SEE:

OTHER SUGGESTIONS I HAVE:

Please print your name (optional)_____