## Toastmasters & Rotary Team Up!

Get behind the collaboration to establish fellowship and potentially strengthen your club while diversifying your membership.



LaCrosse Area Toastmasters / Coulee Region Toastmasters

### **Alliance details**



### **Positive impact:**

Toastmasters International and Rotary International have formed an alliance to leverage their strengths, enabling members from both to enhance their skills, broaden their networks, and increase the positive impact they have in their communities.



#### **Grassroots efforts:**

The ongoing relationship between the two organizations began at the grassroots level with local club members learning and working together.



#### **Educational component:**

Toastmasters is creating a set of eight structured communication and leadership development courses for Rotary.
A phased rollout will be available in English in 2020, and in more languages in 2021.

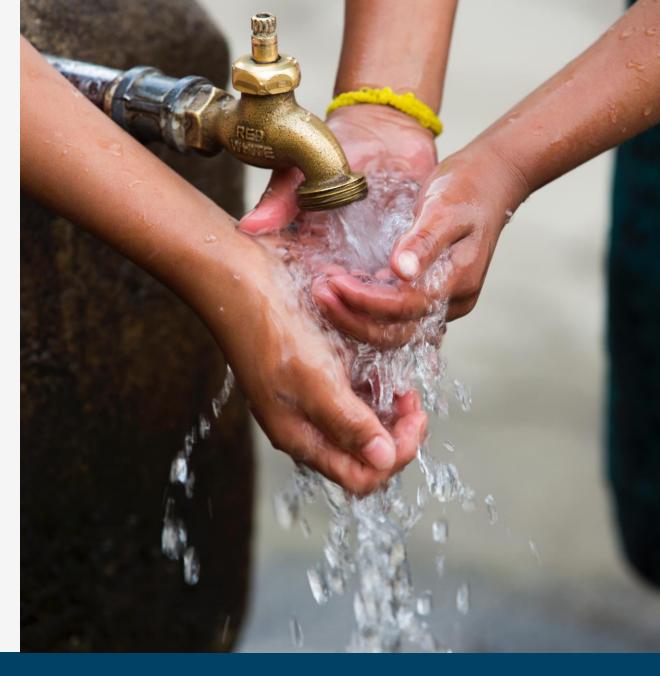
## **About Toastmasters International**

- A worldwide nonprofit educational organization founded in 1924
- Empowers more confident and effective communicators/leaders from diverse backgrounds
- Membership exceeds 358,000 in more than 16,800 clubs in 143 countries



## **About Rotary International**

- Brings together a global network of volunteer leaders dedicated to tackling the world's humanitarian challenges
- Connects 1.2 million members of more than 35,000 Rotary clubs in over 200 countries and geographical areas
- Dedicated to improving lives at both the local and international levels, from helping individual communities to working toward a polio-free world



# In the Rotary Learning Center now and with similar projects in Toastmasters Pathways

### Toastmasters-developed courses:

- Develop a speech
- Deliver a speech
- Inspirational speech
- Interpersonal communication and networking
- Leadership basics
- Leading a team

### Coming soon:

- Leadership: Collaboration
- Building consensus





## On common ground

Toastmasters International and Rotary International are two organizations with many commonalities, including:

- Long history
- Membership/club foundation
- Volunteer leaders
- Global reach and impact
- Helping people grow personally and professionally





## Please join us in a local alliance!

- Coulee Region Toastmasters, https://2672087.toastmastersclubs.org/
- 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Mondays, noon-1:00 PM
- LaCrosse Area Toastmasters, https://411.toastmastersclubs.org/
- 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday, 7:00-9:30 PM
- Both clubs are currently meeting virtually
- A testimonial

## Let's get the conversation started:

- Would one of your members like to be a guest speaker/online speaker at our clubs?
- What questions do you have about Toastmasters?
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- Tony Cooper at ac55228@hotmail.com for the Coulee Region Toastmasters
- Daryl Wermedal at lacrossetm411@gmail.com, or Avery Strangstalien averystrangstalien@gmail.com

## The excitement continues...

We would be thrilled to have your club and ours connect in support of the alliance and our members!

Visit <u>www.toastmasters.org/Rotary</u> to learn more.

